

securities, to remove impediments to and perfect the mechanism of a free and open market and a national market system, as well as to protect investors and the public interest, consistent with Section 6(b)(5).

B. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement on Burden on Competition

The Exchange does not believe that the proposed rule change will impose any inappropriate burden on competition.

C. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement on Comments on the Proposed Rule Change Received From Members, Participants or Others

No written comments were solicited or received with respect to the proposed rule change.

III. Date of Effectiveness of the Proposed Rule Change and Timing for Commission Action

Within 35 days of the date of publication of this notice in the Federal Register or within such longer period (i) as the Commission may designate up to 90 days of such date if it finds such longer period to be appropriate and publishes its reasons for so finding or (ii) as to which the self-regulatory organization consents, the Commission will:

(A) By order approve such proposed rule change, or

(B) Institute proceedings to determine whether the proposed rule change should be disapproved.

IV. Solicitation of Comments

Interested persons are invited to submit written data, views, and arguments concerning the foregoing. Persons making written submissions should file six copies thereof with the Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549. Copies of the submission, all subsequent amendments, all written statements with respect to the proposed rule change that are filed with the Commission, and all written communications relating to the proposed rule change between the Commission and any person, other than those that may be withheld from the public in accordance with the provisions of 5 U.S.C. § 552, will be available for inspection and copying at the Commission's Public Reference Room. Copies of such filing will also be available for inspection and copying at the principal office of the Exchange. All submissions should refer to File No. SR-Phlx-97-04, and should be submitted by February 27, 1997.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulations, pursuant to delegated authority.⁴

Margaret H. McFarland,

Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Office of the Secretary; Reports, Forms and Recordkeeping Requirements; Proposed Agency Information Collection Activity Under OMB Review

AGENCY: Department of Transportation (DOT), Office of the Secretary (OST).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This collection (2105-0517) is resubmitted to the Federal Register because of errors published previously. In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this notice announces one information collection request coming up for renewal. Before submitting the renewal package to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB), the Department of Transportation is soliciting comments on specific aspects of the collection as described below. The ICR describes the nature of the information collection and its expected cost and burden. Comments are invited on: Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Department, including whether the information will have practical utility; the accuracy of the Department's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before April 7, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Submit written comments identified by the OMB Control Number 2105-0517, by mail to: Mr. Dave Jordan, M-61, U.S. Department of Transportation, 400 Seventh Street S.W., Washington, DC 20590.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Dave Jordan, (202) 366-4265, and refer to OMB Control Number, 2105-0517.

⁴ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Office of the Secretary (OST)

Title: Amendment to the Transportation Acquisition Regulation (TAR).

Form(s): DOT F 4220.4, DOT F 4220.7, DOT F 4220.43, DOT F 4220.44, DOT F 4220.45, DOT F 4220.46, and Form DD 882.

OMB Control Number: 2105-0517.

Affected Public: Individuals or households and business or other for-profit organizations.

Abstract: The requested extension of the approved control number covers forms DOT F 4220.4, DOT F 4220.7, DOT F 4220.43, DOT F 4220.44, DOT F 4220.45, DOT F 4220.46, and Form DD 882. In addition, the control number includes an amended request to obtain data associated with acquisitions for training services. The Transportation Acquisition Regulation (TAR) 48 CFR 1213.70, 1237.70, 1252.237-71, and 1252.237-72 requires contracting officers to obtain and evaluate, qualification data and other pertinent information when it is necessary to determine whether offerors have the capability to perform training services under a proposed contract.

Annual Estimated Burden: The annual estimated burden is 57,167 hours.

Issued in Washington, DC, on February 3, 1997.

Phillip A. Leach,

Clearance Officer, Department of Transportation.

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Office of the Secretary

Privacy Act; System of Records; General Routine Uses

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary, DOT.

ACTION: Notice of Intended Establishment of General Routine Use.

SUMMARY: DOT intends to establish under the Privacy Act of 1974 a General Routine Use applicable to all DOT systems of records to facilitate implementation of the Brady Handgun Violence Prevention Act. Public comment is invited.

DATES: Comments are due March 10, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be addressed to Information Resources Management Staff, M-31, Department of Transportation, 400 Seventh Street, SW, Washington, DC 20590.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Robert I. Ross, Office of the General